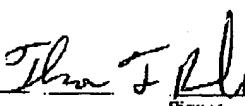
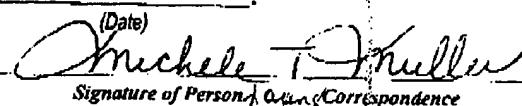


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. IR 3635 NP	
In Re Application Of: <b>ZERAFA TI, S. et al</b>					
Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/010,636	11/05/2001	Mullis, J. C.	31684	1711	4896
Invention: <b>IMPACT MODIFIER COMBINATION FOR POLYMERS</b>					
<b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>02/24/2005</u> above-identified application.					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):					
<input type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months from: <u>May 24, 2005</u> _____ until: <u>August 24, 2005</u> _____					
The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$1,020</b> and is to be paid as follows:					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <b>01-2717</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <b>01-2717</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>					
 <u>Thomas F. Roland, Esq.</u> Reg. No. 42,110					
Dated: <b>August 16, 2005</b>					
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being faxed. <u>8/16/05</u> (Date)  Signature of Person <u>faxing</u> Correspondence Michele T. Muller Typed or Printed Name of Person <u>faxing</u> Correspondence					
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